# **BEARFACTS** 1994 – 2004 Morrow, Oregon [41049]

Morrow is one of 36 counties in Oregon. It is part of the Pendleton-Hermiston, OR Micropolitan SA. Its 2004 population of 11,416 ranked 29th in the state.

### PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Morrow had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$27,012. This PCPI ranked 14th in the state and was 88 percent of the state average, \$30,621, and 82 percent of the national average, \$33,123. The 2004 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.3 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 3.6 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Morrow was \$15,967 and ranked 35th in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.8 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2004 Morrow had a total personal income (TPI) of \$308,365\*. This TPI ranked 29th in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of Morrow was \$140,272\* and ranked 30th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected an increase of 8.1 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 4.3 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 8.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

## COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Morrow. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 72.3 percent of TPI (compared with 64.5 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.8 percent (compared with 21.1 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 14.9 percent (compared with 14.4 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings increased 12.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 0.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts decreased 2.5 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings increased on average 9.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.6 percent.

#### EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Morrow increased from \$204,708\* in 2003 to \$227,142\* in 2004, an increase of 11.0 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 4.4 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$109,271\* to the 2004 estimate was 7.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.

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